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## A Smoke Abatement Society.

Smoke doesn't pay.

Washington was one of the first cities to realize this. London will be one of the last. But, in view of the desire on the part of certain District tradesmen to have the antismoke law repealed, there is special local significance in the fact that London is turning against smoke at any time.

For in London over 1,000,000 persons are engaged in manufacturing; in Washington there are not 25,000. The value of London's shipments last year was/over \$1,000,000,000; the value of all our manufacturing products, including those made by the Government, is less than \$48,000,000.

A "Smoke Abatement Society" has capital. In an organization whose very name rings of old England, it is not surprising that work was begun with two addresses-one by Sir Frederick Treves, the other by the Bishop of London. The great surgeon contends that smoke and soot have turned the Londoner's lungs from the healthful pink of childhood into a dirty blue. The bishop denounces smoke as " a fatal and unnecessary nuisance."

Poor fuel combustion will probably vie with the fog in London for developments at Tammany Hall and many years to come. But Sir Fred- the city hall. erick Treves and the bishop, in the name of their "Smoke Abatement Society" have pointed the way of progress. It lies in the direction of less smoke, not more; and we of Washington must not forget it.

# The One Thing Lacking.

Even the New York Tribune has come to life. From a sedate observation in its editorial columns of several days ago it would seem to have awakened to the need for modern business methods in the departments. It is still rubbing its eyes, however, as will be plain from this:

Cne defect of our Government, whether it is federal, State, or municipal, is its too infrequent overhauling by a superior with a genius for that sort of work. Some clerk who knows how things have been done for the last half century keeps alive in his memory the traditional system of each department while the world outside have cessive systems. A "housecleaning that sweeps out the bureaucratic cowebs of long ago is a great public ben fit, but few men possess that rare com-bination of patience, energy, and or-ganizing talent required for undertak-

know of Mr. Cortelyou's achievements in the Department of Commerce and Labor and the Postal Service. It cannot have read of Mr. Metcalf's fine extension of his pre- istics. The Bertillon system of measdecessor's campaign in the bureau urements is a half success. The finfirst named. And, of course, it does not realize the progress already land Yard and other live European made by the Keep Commission, and the vigorous grip a member of that Neither needs any photographing of body has taken on the Interior Department.

tience, energy, and organizing talent," of which our contemporary tion, but also by a failure to comakes notes has been much in evi- operate. The National Bureau of dence in the executive service for six Identification-of which our Washyears. But a thing has been lacking ington Chief of Police is the enterwhich the Tribune could help procure. It is a thing controlled by votes, and down here in Washington cities to act together. By its opera-

# As to Free Speech.

took the liberty of telling some no one knows of the entry opposite plain truths about the Russian army, his name, and his picture is not on with the result that he almost view anywhere. If he does not, and started a rough house, drove the is arrested elsewhere the court has ministers from the chamber, and the advantage of his record in fixing precipitated a renewal of threats to his punishment. dissolve the body.

M. Zuraboff it was and in his address he denounced the army and declared that it never wins any victories except against the Russian it is not to be wondered at. people; it is always beaten when it engages in a foreign war. The min- be disturbed when a sizable comisters demanded that the offending munity out West thinks it necessary speaker be suspended, but the votes to come to her rescue with a law to couldn't be mustered to take this make bachelors propose. In mere action. The presiding officer admin- man's experience the average girl of istered a rebuke and ordered the his acquaintance can make him prospeaker suspended from right to the pose whenever and as often as she floor; but this didn't satisfy the pleases. He has nothing to do with

plainly have much to learn about fuscated, myopic legislature enact a free speech and its workings. They law to take all the spice out of the been held that legal and special and cona political brainstorm in the Congress of the United States and discover that almost anything can be said on the floor in discussion without causing any real trouble, if

Then, here in Washington, came the civil service." the Attorney General said, "and a very considerable number of appointments have been made not by civil service rule.

The "New Century Girls" are at the looking-glass incident at the of appointments have been made not by civil service rule.

The "New Century Girls" are at the Lyceum this week, but while they are not girls of the morality play, "Everyman." The said on the floor in discussion without causing any real trouble, if might well come over and listen to game may well upset the sex.

## The Peace in New York.

differences, are of the very greatest significance. If Murphy, McClellan, the Sullivans, and all the elements in the city are to unite once more next election.

New York Republicans are getting farther apart. It seems impossible that they will become united firmly

begun the campaign in the British the headquarters of the great re-

The bill passed by the Legislature forbidding the police to photograph prisoners for the rogues' gallery except after conviction is merely an indorsement of the right of an accused person to be held innocent until he is proved guilty. While it was dealing with the subject the Legislature might very well bave gone on and penalized the sweatbox system, which is another invasion of constitutional rights. Such reforms come slowly, however. Perhaps the next Legislature will do what the present one has passed over.

Every man with ginger in his make-up must condemn the practice ing a man who is innocent. of including his neighbor in a "Rogues' Gallery," and classing him with criminals until he is proven of that class. But the objection to the "Rogues' Gallery" goes further than that. As an institution for police "From the brown and briary hedges, From the gleaming, silvery sedges—Bleached by many a wintry moon; From the sodden, trodden grasses Something whispers as it passes, "Spring is coming, coming soon." "Rogues' Gallery," and classing him uses it is of doubtful value. Photo- Coming not in this pale seeming, But with all her colors streaming. graphs do not help much, unless Apparently, the Tribune does not they be lately taken, and the accused is in such a hurry that he cannot change the cut of his hair.

Identifications are best made according to unchanging charactergerprint system-as in use in Scot land Yard and other live European agencies—is an entire success. PASTOR ENFORCED LAW the prisoner.

Moreover-American police activi-"That rare combination of pa- ties are not only hampered by the use of a poor system of identificaprising head-is organized to encourage the bureaus of the several A socialist member of the douma self lawfully, so much the better;

These Russian administrators And now to have some obtuse, ob-

world, and incite to revolution in inal jurisdiction of Gotham will fail several. But instead of riot and to sympathize with her Washington revolution, everybody just laughs. sisters, who are all expected to use Nothing like free speech to eman- a single glass. Most of them have cipate people from the fearful mis- a mirror over their desk, another take of taking themselves too seri- near the hook where they hang their simple little mid-season working hat ("My dear, it didn't cost a cent more than \$12 and the clerk told me-!"), use the one in the elevator, The reports that the factions in when they ride down to the ground New York city's Democracy are get- floor, and peer sidewise into the ting together and patching up their plateglass windows of the stores when they go out to lunch. Vanity? Never in the world. It is an un-

selfish desire to please the men. So none of us gasped when we in the city are to unite once more and present a solid front to the enemy, they may be able to mini- York the other day. The victim was enemy, they may be able to mini- York the other day. The victim was mize the power of the Independence an American by the name of Lucia League, and at the same time to in- di Caperio. She had been assailed. since Noah's day. They are all-nearly a strength and impressiveness to the crease greatly the chance of Demo- When she got into court she told all-in Clare Kummer's new musical part which are essential to a full develcratic control of the State at the the judge, with all proper tearfulthe face by a discerning but overenthusiastic fellow boarder, one Joseph Adinolfi, the smart piece!

empty formality of indictment by a and indicated his ambition that Britain should become master of all Africa. grand jury, there is abundant ground for the following from the coast regions. Seems as if the tight by A. Baldwin Sloane. Frederick Randrica, and would be a pretty small ken provided the book and lyrics. Some of the entertainment, which tail to wag so many big, shaggy dogs.

Just why the Union Pacific should need a holding company so long as Mr. Harriman continues extant, is not clear

This Haywood poetry seems to be en the whole a worse menace even than as the possibility of trying and convict-

# SPRING MAGIC.

Her wild music in the air; She will wreathe the tangled byway, Flush with light the common highway Spill her magic everywhere.

Idle fancies sternly banished,
Dreams and visions long, long, venished
Stir the soul to sweet unrest.
In an oubliette sinks Duty,
While an old unforgotten Beauty
Lures us on her ancient quest.
—Ada Foster Murray.

we call it Congressional co-operations sufficiently telling details of a city from midnight Saturday until Mon-

the Government.

"In the Department of Justice it has fidential positions did not come under

# Fun in "Noah's Ark," Good Music and Chorus, And Bulger Unchanged

sc backward that we were almost forgetting that the silly season was at hand, but "Noah's Ark" certainly brought it homeward. Perhaps it is natural that a play with such a title the standpoint of the artist, there are should be reminiscent for paid there. Know" the world has had tire to learn better suited to a man than a woman. most of them and forget some of them. The masculine voice and carriage lend

measure of success. Musically, it is

Some of the entertainment, which might, have proved novel, was so inti-No, there is no race war involved in mately suggestive of "Babes in Toythe Montenegro uprising, as we under-stand the matter. land" that it detracted from the new-ness of the production to a great extent. There were the same little nursery characters, the same bold, bad man wreaking vengeance on the fairy

folk, and the same little automaton doll business that was so great a feature in the "Babes in Toyland."

Eddie Redway, who should be billed as "little lightfoct;" Gus Wenberg, who will always look out for himself, and Ross Snow, the veriest fairy that ever ferried, had the burden of comedy in last night's performance. The only last night's performance. The only fault that one pright find is that none of them has sufficient to do to please those in front. Redway is an excellent dancer, and gave several exhibitions of his talent. Redway plays the Ginger-like and the two easily share the bread Man, and has a catchy entrance

## "EVERYMAN," MORALITY PLAY, INTERESTS BIG AUDIENCE

Noah's Ark made port at Washington | who were in a position to compare the last night and will remain for a week at the New National. The spring has been great English actress and by the capable

When she got into court she told the judge, with all proper tearfulness, that she had been slapped in the face by a discerning but overenthusiastic fellow boarder, one Joseph Adinolfi, the smart piece!

Then followed this examination:

"Did he or did he not lay hands on you?" asked Magistrate Walch, who was about to discharge Adinolfi.

"It gives Bulger a chance to be—just comment of the possibilities of the role. In the morality play, the Almighty, represented by a voice behind the curtant summons. Dethe and commands him to go to Everyman, who is going through life enjoying all the pleasures of the flesh without thought of his immortal soul. When the harbinger of the grave appears before Everyman, the grave appears before Everyman, the full import of the visitation does not at lifest dawn upon the worldly-minded one. ther apart. It seems impossible at they will become united firmly ough to make them stick togeth.

Among them are too many men objet interests and induced who ould be quite willing to see the arry distraught and divided, rather and to see it united, strong, aggresticated and to see it united party is highly desirable, when everybody and agree which way it shall travel. But New York is the very storm center of the nation, New York is at aword's points with itself. It is it he headquarters of the agreet reactionary forces—and it has twice victed for flearatism. It is the home of Harriman—and Hearst.

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ne cleverest of all his Shakespearean productions.

"Much Ado About Nothing" will be welcomed in Washington, as it affords both Mr. Greet and his leading lady, Miss Agnes Scott, excelent opportunities in the roles of Benedict and Beatles in the roles of Benedict and Beatles in the minor role of Knowledge, while Mr. Greet was not in the cast at all.

The performance last night was given for the benefit of the Prisoners' Aid and City Missionary Work, while that longht will be for the George Washington University fund.

One of the beauties of the Greet productions is that the plays are given in helic entirety, this being made possible by the elimination of all changes of stage settings.

## DAVIS AND FANNY RICE FEATURES AT CHASE'S

dancer, and gave several exhibitions of his talent. Redway plays the Gingerbread Man, and has a catchy entrance song entitled "John Dough." Gus Wein berg is cast for an oldtime comic operation, but, fortunately, is able to make the role very funny. He had the song hit of the play in "Old Ramese," to which he was obliged to supply verses until his collection ran out.

Rose Snow played the role of the fairy queen, and he was about as funny as a fairy queen could possibly be, William Sellery, who played the bold, bad man, Machavalius Fudge, was apparently suffering with a cold and was unable to sing.

Inasmuch as the Church of the Pittle promotion of his own candidacy, grims since its small beginning several years ago has had no regular church in which to worship and its sixty members were endeavoring to devise plans has been endeavoring to devise plans been were endeavoring to devise plans has other company of five, and his sketch has all the earmarks of a Shakespearean tragedy. It opens with a greenrous Westerner came as a most distinct and happy surpris.

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# APPRECIATE YOUR CAPACITY.

Thoughts on Business--- No. 15

WALDO PONDRAY WARREN

MUCH of the strength within men is hidden, awaiting an occa-sion to reveal it. The head of a days sion to reveal it. The head of a department in a great manufacturing concern severed his connection with the firm, his work falling upon a young man of twenty-five years. The young man rose to the occasion, and in a very short time was conceded to be the stronger executive of the two. He had been with the concern for several years, and was regarded as a bright fellow, but his marked success was a surprise to all who knew him -even to himself.

The fact is, the young man had that ability all the time and didn't know it; and his employers didn't know it. He might have been doing greater things right along if there had been the occasion to reveal his strength.

Do you employers and superior officers in business realize how much of this hidden strength there is in your men? A word from you would perhaps liberate it for the development of your business, and your men.

Do you workers know your own strength? Are you working up to your capacity? If you think so, remember there are few men on earth who are doing so. Always strive to express yourself at your best capacity.

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**Number 16 Tomorrow** 

# NORTH EASTERNERS | RADICALS PLAN GET NEW CHURCH

Wealthy Western Lumberman Donates Forty Thousand Dollars.

Stating that he wished to erect a burch as a memorial to his son, wh died about a year ago, O. H. Ingrain a wealthy lumberman of Eau Claire northeast Washington representing the struggling Church of the Pilgrims (Congregational), situated on Capitol Hill, and informed them that he had selected Washington as the site for the impeachment of President Roosevelt. Whether the petition will be filed with the Senate depends upon the reception section of Massachusetts avenue, Eighth tips is completed. and B streets northeast.

Mr. Ingram's announcement of his gift quested his auditors not to use his ly drawn. The charges being quietpame for the present. His presence in the city became known to the city bec the city became known to the public generally, however, and it was found im-

# tinct and happy surprise.

Has Had No Regular Church.

Dreams and visions long, long, v.nished Stir the soul to sweet unrest. In an oubliette sinks Duty, While an old unforgotten Beauty Lures us on her ancient quest.

—Ada Foster Murray, Battled Battled

The work upon the new edifice is to begin immediately under the supervision of the Rev. J. W. Frizzell, the newly called pastor. Mr. Ingram in making

# UF PRESIDENT

Chicago Labor Leaders Agitating for Such Movement.

Chicago union labor leaders are agitating to secure the presentation to the Senate next winter of a petition for the tion is completed.

A legal committee has been selected and the charges which are intended to

That Harriman Contribution.

That the President sought and redeived and used for the campaign ex-pences of the Republican party and for

That he has exceeded his official aucians whose views disagree with his own and by issuing frequent "procla-cations" to that end. Another charge has to do with the part taken by Cab-inet officers in the Hughes-Hearst elec-tion in New York State.

Meeting for Labor Night. A meeting has been called for the night of May 1 to discuss action to counteract President Roosevelt's recently expressed opinion that Moyer and Haywood are "undesirable citizens." Sixty-five organizations have issued a manifesto in connection with the proposed protest. The manifesto contains a bitter attack on the administration of law which is alleged to be against labor and for capital; against the weak and for the strong, and lays special stress upon the judicial proceedings which have marked the Haywood and Moyer cases to date.

# DR. M. F. EGAN LECTURES AT METROPOLITAN CHURCH

Members of the Men's Club of the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church listened to a lecture last night by Dr. Maurice Francis Egan, professor of English at the Catholic University, on the subject of the "Life of St. Francis d'Assisi." He explained the mission of the founder of the Franciscans and showed why he was a favorite with non-Catholics.